California Rice Commission

Notice of Meeting & Agenda

Industry Affairs Committee 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, June 22, 2010 Colusa Industrial Properties 100 Sunrise Blvd., Colusa, CA

Agenda items

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- A. Call to Order
- B. Roll Call
- II. Introductions
- III. Approval of Minutes
 - A. May 26, 2010
- IV. 2010-11 Program of Work
 - A. Proposed Program of Work and Budget
- V. <u>Air Quality (G.9, \$125,000)</u>
 - A. Program of Work
 - B. Diesel Regulatory Activities
 - i. General Update
 - C. Rice Straw Disease Inspections in 2010 Season
 - i. Status Review

VI. Water Quality & Compliance (G.8, \$355,000)

- A. Irrigated Lands Regulatory Program (ILRP)
 - i. Long-term Program Straw Proposal
 - ii. Scope for Groundwater Component
- B. Rice Pesticides Program
 - i. Update on Monitoring Results
- C. DPR Water Modeling Tour
 - i. Purpose and Objective
- D. Methyl Mercury TMDL
 - i. Update

VII. Research & Crop Protection (G.7, \$35,000)

- A. Propanil Policy Proposal
 - i. County Agricultural Commissioner Presentation
- B. Pesticide Matrix
 - i. Request from Research and Technology Committee

- C. Pest Exclusion
 - i. CA Plant Protection Act of 2010

VIII. Conservation

- A. Program of Work
 - i. Status Review
- B. Ducks Unlimited Waterbird Report
 - i. Summary Review
- C. Summer Workshop on Postharvest Management
- D. Dialogue with Ed Burton, Chief of California NRCS¹
 - i. Subject: Perspectives on the Conservation Stewardship Program (CSP)

IX. Personnel - Closed Session (California Government Code 11126(a))

- A. The Committee may go into closed session to discuss and make recommendations to Committee regarding appointment, employment or dismissal of an employee
- B. Return to open session and announce action taken in closed session, if any
- X. <u>Closed session regarding pending litigation pursuant to Government Code</u> <u>Section 11126(e)</u>
 - A. The Committee may go into closed session to discuss pending litigation
 - B. Return to open session and announce action taken in closed session, if any

XI. Issues & Scheduling for Next Meeting

A. Next meeting is planned for Tuesday, August 31, 2010, 1:00 p.m. at Sutter Ag Building in Yuba City.

XII. Adjourn

All items are subject to discussion and action. All meetings of the California Rice Commission are open to the public and subject to the Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act. All interested parties are invited and encouraged to attend the meeting.

Persons with disabilities needing special accommodation should contact Jessica Welch, Executive Assistant, California Rice Commission at (916) 387-2264 at least five days prior to the meeting

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¹ This CSP item will likely be moved to the front of the agenda so that the NRCS guests can feel free to leave, if they desire, once the item is discussed.